What is claimed is:

- 1. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient.
- 2. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of external administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient.
- 3. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of perorally or parenterally administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient.
- 4. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient in combination with heparin and/or vitamin C.
- 5. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient, wherein a tumor associated with said composition is breast cancer, large bowel cancer, thyroid gland cancer, colon cancer, cecum cancer, cervical cancer, malignant melanoma, pancreas cancer, or stomach cancer.
- 6. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of external administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient in combination with heparin and/or vitamin C.
- 7. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of perorally or parenterally administrating a composition containing benzyl

alcohol as the active ingredient in combination with heparin and/or vitamin C.

- 8. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of external administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient, wherein a tumor associated with said composition is breast cancer, large bowel cancer, thyroid gland cancer, colon cancer, cecum cancer, cervical cancer, malignant melanoma, pancreas cancer, or stomach cancer.
- 9. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of perorally or parenterally administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient, wherein a tumor associated with said composition is breast cancer, large bowel cancer, thyroid gland cancer, colon cancer, cecum cancer, cervical cancer, malignant melanoma, pancreas cancer, or stomach cancer.
- 10. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient in combination with heparin and/or vitamin C, wherein a tumor associated with said composition is breast cancer, large bowel cancer, thyroid gland cancer, colon cancer, cecum cancer, cervical cancer, malignant melanoma, pancreas cancer, or stomach cancer.
- 11. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of external administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient in combination with heparin and/or vitamin C, wherein a tumor associated with said composition is breast cancer, large bowel cancer, thyroid gland cancer, colon cancer,

cecum cancer, cervical cancer, malignant melanoma, pancreas cancer, or stomach cancer.

- 12. A method for treating a tumor comprising the step of perorally or parenterally administrating a composition containing benzyl alcohol as the active ingredient in combination with heparin and/or vitamin C, wherein a tumor associated with said composition is breast cancer, large bowel cancer, thyroid gland cancer, colon cancer, cecum cancer, cervical cancer, malignant melanoma, pancreas cancer, or stomach cancer.
- 13. A method for treating a tumor according to any of Claim 1 to 12, wherein said benzyl alcohol is administrated at a dose necessary and sufficient to cause a tumor cell to fall in necrosis.
- 14. A method for treating a tumor according to any of Claim 1 to 12, wherein said benzyl alcohol is administrated at a dose necessary and sufficient to cause a tumor cell to fall in necrosis, said dose being determined as an amount necessary and sufficient by using separation of a tumor cell from a normal cell as a marker.
- 15. A method for treating a tumor according to any of Claim 1 to 12, wherein said benzyl alcohol is administrated at a dose necessary and sufficient to cause a tumor cell to fall in necrosis, said dose being 1mg-50mg/tumor volume (cm^3) .
- 16. A method for treating a tumor according to any of Claim 1 to 12, wherein said benzyl alcohol is administrated at a dose

of lmg-50mg/tumor volume (cm³) as an amount necessary and sufficient to cause a tumor cell to fall in necrosis, said dose being determined as an amount necessary and sufficient by using separation of a tumor cell from a normal cell as a marker.

17. A method for treating a tumor according to any of Claim 1 to 12, wherein said administration is carried out by using an aqueous 0.1-5% benzyl alcohol solution.